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RUCQFH/COM NINETEENTH AIR FORCE
RUCRC/ARLANT FT MONROE VA
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RUCSBR/544TH AEROSPACE RTECHWG OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
RUCVSM/4080TH SRW, LAUGHLIN AFB, TEXAS
RUEADX/COMDR TAC LAFBVA
RUEAHQ/HQS USAF WASHDC
RUEAHQ/DIA WASHDC/CIIC-3-A-2
RUEAHQ/DIA PROD CTR
RUEAHQ/JCS/J-2 WASHDC
RUECEM/CMC (CODE AO-2C)
RUECW/DNI WASHDC
RUEKC/JACE AJCC FT RITCHIE MD
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RUEKDL/CINCSRIKE MCDILL AFB FLA
RUEKMJ/JACE AIRBORNE ANDREWS AFB MD
RUEKVDA/JACE AFLOAT NORFOLK VA
RUEPCR/DIRNSA
RUEPDA/ACSI-IW DA WASHDC
RUHAFS/CINCUSARPAC FORT SHAFTER HAWAII
RUHPA/CINCPAC
RUHPB/CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HAWAII
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THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

PRELIMINARY SCAN OF BRASS KNOB MISSION 3566, DATED 22

APRIL 1963, REVEALS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE MILITARY
CAMPS LISTED BELOW:

1. REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP--THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE
OBSERVED: 14 LARGE, 23 MEDIUM, AND 14 SMALL TENTS, 32 TANKS/SP
GUNS, 10 UNIDENTIFIED TRACKED VEHICLES, ONE PROBABLE FROG MISSILE
TRANSPORTER, 2 PROBABLE FROG LAUNCHERS, 9 SNAPPERS, 14 FA PIECES,
5 AAA PIECES, 238 CARGO TRUCKS, 25 UTILITY TRUCKS, 9 POL TRUCKS,
2 VAN TRUCKS, 10 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 21 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES,
13 CARGO TRAILERS, ONE VAN TRAILER, AND 5 TRUCK-MOUNTED TREADWAY
BRIDGES. FOLIAGE PRECLUDES VERIFICATION OF 4 ADDITIONAL PROBABLE
FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTERS. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.
APPROXIMATELY 150 PERSONNEL WERE OBSERVED MARCHING IN FORMATION
TOWARD THE MAIN CAMP FROM THE DIRECTION OF THE ENCAMPMENT 0.8 NM
NORTH. ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL OR EQUIPMENT WAS OBSERVED ON THE
PARADE GROUND.

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THERE IS NO APPARENT CHANGE IN THE ENCAMPMENT 0.8 NM NORTH OR THE MAIN CAMP. THERE IS NO APPARENT CHANGE IN COUNT OF TENTS OR VEHICLES IN THE ENCAMPMENT 2.3 NM SOUTHEAST OF THE MAIN CAMP. APPROXIMATELY 100 PERSONNEL WERE OBSERVED IN THIS AREA.

TIME OVER TARGET: 1250Z

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2. TORRENS, MILITARY COMPLEX-- THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE OBSERVED IN THE AREAS LISTED BELOW:

REFORMATORY PROPER-- 27 LARGE, 12 MEDIUM, AND 6 SMALL TENTS, 9 VAN TRUCKS, AND 14 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES.

MOTOR PARK AND BILLETING AREA 0.3 NM SOUTH-- 10 LARGE, 18 MEDIUM, AND ONE SMALL TENT, 126 CARGO TRUCKS, 23 UTILITY TRUCKS, 46 VAN TRUCKS, 6 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, AND 25 CARGO TRAILERS,

MOTOR PARK 0.7 NM SSW-- ONE MEDIUM AND 5 SMALL TENTS, 30 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 UTILITY TRUCKS, 2 POL TRUCKS, 37 VAN TRUCKS, 3 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 12 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, 7 CARGO TRAILERS, AND 3 VAN TRAILERS.

MOTOR PARK 0.9 NM SE-- 64 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, 9 VAN TRUCKS, 101 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, AND 7 CARGO TRAILERS.

AAA SITE 1.5 NM SSE-- 2 LARGE, ONE MEDIUM, AND ONE SMALL TENT, 14 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE VAN TRUCK, 10 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, ONE UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLE, AND 4 CARGO TRAILERS. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.

BILLETING AREA 1.9 NM SOUTH-- 16 LARGE, 6 MEDIUM, AND 12

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SMALL TENTS, 55 CARGO TRUCKS, 29 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, 3 POSSIBLE K-61 TRACKED AMPHIBIANS, AND 3 PROBABLE HEAVY PONTON BRIDGES.

MOTOR PARK 1.2 NM SW-- 19 TANKS/SP GUNS, 24 CARGO TRUCKS.

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TIME OVER TARGET: 1314Z

3. SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP-- THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE OBSERVED: 27 LARGE, 7 MEDIUM, AND 8 SMALL TENTS, 11 TANKS/SP GUNS, 3 UNIDENTIFIED TRACKED VEHICLES, 4 PROBABLE FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 42 CARGO TRUCKS, 8 UTILITY TRUCKS, 26 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, 10 TRUCK-MOUNTED TREADWAY BRIDGES. TWELVE LARGE AND 2 MEDIUM TENTS (NOT OF A KNOWN SOVIET TYPE) WERE ALSO OBSERVED IN MAIN CAMP AREA. THE 6-GUN AND 9-GUN AAA SITES REMAIN OCCUPIED.

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TIME OVER TARGET: 1313Z

4. ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP-- THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE OBSERVED: 10 LARGE, ONE MEDIUM, AND ONE SMALL TENT, AT LEAST 21 TANKS/SP GUNS, 4 UNIDENTIFIED TRACKER VEHICLES, 2 PROBABLE FROG LAUNCHERS, 4 PROBABLE FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 137 CARGO TRUCKS, 8 UTILITY TRUCKS, 56 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, 14 CARGO TRAILERS, 11 PROBABLE CARGO TRAILERS, 54 EIGHT-WHEELED APC, 2 LOWBOY TRAILERS, AND APPROXIMATELY 30 PIECES OF UNIDENTIFIED EQUIPMENT. A TOTAL OF 38 LARGE AND 6 MEDIUM TENTS (NOT OF A KNOWN SOVIET TYPE) WERE

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ALSO OBSERVED IN THE MAIN CAMP. THE Y-GUN AND 9-GUN AAA SITES
REMAIN OCCUPIED. SHADOW AND FOLIAGE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

[REDACTED] TIME OVER TARGET: 1317Z

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5. HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP-- HAZE AND SHADOW PRECLUDDE
DETAILED INTERPRETATION. THERE IS NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE MISSION

[REDACTED] TIME OVER TARGET: 1215Z

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